

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE RESPONSE/AMENDMENT

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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an AMENDMENT for the patent application:

Application No.

10/019,177

Applicant(s)

Busch et al.

Filed

December 21, 2001

Dr. John R. Hardee

Title

Process for Producing Particles of Amine Reaction Product

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- No additional fees (claims fees or extension fees) are known to be required.
- 2. [X] The fee has been calculated as shown below:

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FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM					+ \$290 =	\$
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- If the highest number of independent claims previously paid for is less than 3, write "3" in this space.

The "Highest Number Previously Paid For" (Total or Independent) is the highest number found from the equivalent box in Col. 1 of a prior amendment or the number of claims originally filed.

- The Commissioner is hereby petitioned under 37 CFR §1.136(a) to grant any extension of time needed for 3. [] timely response to the Office Action dated in the above-identified application to preserve pendency of said application. The processing fee under 37 CFR §1.17 has been determined as follows: \$ for a -month extension of time.
- 4. The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 16-2480. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.
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- 5. The Director is hereby authorized to make any additional copies of this sheet needed to accomplish the purposes provided for herein and to charge any fee for such copies to Deposit Account No. 16-2480.

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Reply to Office Action of September 5, 2003

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## **RESPONSE AND ELECTION UNDER 37 CFR §1.143** AMENDMENT AND REPLY TO 1<sup>ST</sup> OFFICE ACTION UNDER 37 CFR §1.111(b) and (c)

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## INTRODUCTORY REMARKS

In response to the Office Action of September 5, 2003, the time for response being extended by (0) zero months, please reconsider such application in view of the following amendments and remarks.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.